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For: <i>Generation of Combinatorial Synthetic Libraries and Screening for Novel Proadhesions and Nonadhesions</i>	

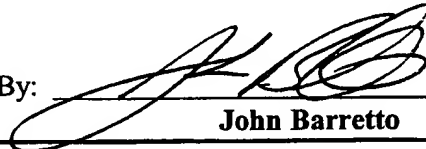
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**Substitute Specification**

Dear Examiner Kumar:

In response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office's objection to the specification in the above referenced application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.58(c) and 1.81 for containing drawings within the body of the specification, Applicants submit herewith a Substitute Specification.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(c), included is a clean version of the specification and a marked-up version of the specification showing the changes made.

In the Substitute Specification, the objected to drawings have been maintained but now appear as Figures 1-3. Accordingly, a "Brief Description of the Drawings" has been

added. The description consists of the captions to the drawings from the specification. Importantly, no new matter has been added in preparing the Substitute Specification.

The Substitute Specification includes only the above described amendments. It does not include any of the amendments made previously to the claims or specification during prosecution of the application.

### Fees

The Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in connection with the filing of this paper. Nevertheless, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fee to our Deposit Account, 06-1448.

### Conclusion

In view of the above Substitute Specification, Applicants believe that the application is in condition for issuance. If a telephone conversation with Applicants' Agent would expedite prosecution of the application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned.

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